

CLAIMS

What is claimed is:

- 1 1. A method comprising:
 - 2 adding to a first set of broadcasted programs a second set of broadcasted
 - 3 programs, the second set of broadcasted programs including broadcasted programs
 - 4 viewed by a viewer for a period of time at least equal to a first threshold; and
 - 5 removing from the first set of broadcasted programs a third set of broadcasted
 - 6 programs, the third set of broadcasted programs including broadcasted programs not
 - 7 viewed by a viewer for a period of time at least equal to a second threshold.
- 1 2. The method of claim 1, further comprising adding to the first set of broadcasted
- 2 programs a fourth set of broadcasted programs selected by the viewer.
- 1 3. The method of claim 1, further comprising updating the first threshold and the
- 2 second threshold upon the viewer indicating dissatisfaction.
- 1 4. The method of claim 1, further comprising updating the first threshold and the
- 2 second threshold upon the viewer returning to a schedule list more than a predetermined
- 3 number of times.
- 1 5. The method of claim 1, further comprising setting the first threshold to be a first
- 2 percentage of a period of time that a channel was viewed, and setting the second
- 3 threshold to be a second percentage of the period of time that the channel was viewed.

1 6. The method of claim 1, further comprising:
2 adding to the first set of broadcasted programs a fifth set of broadcasted programs,
3 the fifth set of broadcasted programs including broadcasted programs selected by a
4 viewer a number of times at least equal to a third threshold; and
5 removing from the first set of broadcasted programs a sixth set of broadcasted
6 programs, the sixth set of broadcasted programs including broadcasted programs not
7 selected by a viewer a number of times at least equal to a fourth threshold.

1 7. A machine-readable medium that provides instructions that, when executed by a
2 machine, cause the machine to perform operations comprising:
3 adding to a first set of broadcasted programs a second set of broadcasted
4 programs, the second set of broadcasted programs including broadcasted programs
5 viewed by a viewer for a period of time at least equal to a first threshold; and
6 removing from the first set of broadcasted programs a third set of broadcasted
7 programs, the third set of broadcasted programs including broadcasted programs not
8 viewed by a viewer for a period of time at least equal to a second threshold.

1 8. The machine-readable medium of claim 7, wherein operations further comprise
2 adding to the first set of broadcasted programs a fourth set of broadcasted programs
3 selected by the viewer.

1 9. The machine-readable medium of claim 7, wherein operations further comprise
 2 updating the first threshold and the second threshold upon the viewer indicating
 3 dissatisfaction.

1 10. The machine-readable medium of claim 7, wherein operations further comprise
 2 updating the first threshold and the second threshold upon the viewer returning to a
 3 schedule list more than a predetermined number of times.

1 11. The machine-readable medium of claim 7, wherein operations further comprise
 2 setting the first threshold to be a first percentage of a period of time that a channel was
 3 viewed, and setting the second threshold to be a second percentage of the period of time
 4 that the channel was viewed.

1 12. The machine-readable medium of claim 7, wherein operations further comprise:
 2 adding to the first set of broadcasted programs a fifth set of broadcasted programs,
 3 the fifth set of broadcasted programs including broadcasted programs selected by a
 4 viewer a number of times at least equal to a third threshold; and
 5 removing from the first set of broadcasted programs a sixth set of broadcasted
 6 programs, the sixth set of broadcasted programs including broadcasted programs not
 7 selected by a viewer a number of times at least equal to a fourth threshold.

1 13. A system comprising:
 2 a first unit to add to a first set of broadcasted programs a second set of
 3 broadcasted programs, the second set of broadcasted programs including broadcasted
 4 programs viewed by a viewer for a period of time at least equal to a first threshold; and
 5 a second unit coupled with the first unit to remove from the first set of
 6 broadcasted programs a third set of broadcasted programs, the third set of broadcasted
 7 programs including broadcasted programs not viewed by a viewer for a period of time at
 8 least equal to a second threshold.

1 14. The system of claim 13, wherein the first unit is further to add to the first set of
 2 broadcasted programs a fourth set of broadcasted programs selected by the viewer.

1 15. The system of claim 13, wherein the first unit is further to update the first
 2 threshold and the second threshold upon the viewer indicating dissatisfaction.

1 16. The system of claim 13, wherein the first unit is further to update the first
 2 threshold and the second threshold upon the viewer returning to a schedule list more than
 3 a predetermined number of times.

1 17. The system of claim 13, wherein the first unit is further to set the first threshold to
 2 be a first percentage of a period of time that a channel was viewed, and to set the second
 3 threshold to be a second percentage of the period of time that the channel was viewed.

1 18. The system of claim 13, wherein the first unit is further to add to the first set of
2 broadcasted programs a fifth set of broadcasted programs, the fifth set of broadcasted
3 programs including broadcasted programs selected by a viewer a number of times at least
4 equal to a third threshold, and wherein the second unit is further to remove from the first
5 set of broadcasted programs a sixth set of broadcasted programs, the sixth set of
6 broadcasted programs including broadcasted programs not selected by a viewer a number
7 of times at least equal to a fourth threshold.